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Prior to examination of the subject application filed herewith, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE TITLE

Please amend the title of the subject application to read as

-- Apparatus Comprising Polymers --

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, please replace the paragraph entitled "Related Applications" with the following replacement paragraphs. A marked-up version of the amendment is attached at the end of this document.

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation of USSN 08/348,471, filed November 30, 1994, which is a continuation of USSN 07/805,727 (filed December 6, 1991, now U.S. Patent